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DIGITAL SIGNATURES

**NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE IN STATUS**  
**FROM SMALL TO LARGE ENTITY**

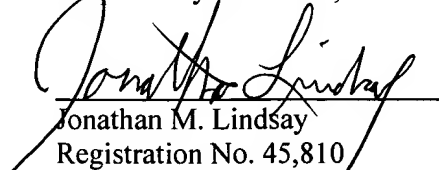
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2), Applicants hereby notify the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office that the status as a small entity for the above-identified patent has changed. The application is no longer entitled to small entity status. Accordingly, all future fees will be paid as a large entity.

If there are any questions regarding this notification, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated.

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